

## CLEAN-UP AND PAINT-UP DAYS

A State-Wide Movement By the Federation of Women's Clubs of Missouri

The following letter from the President of the Missouri Federation of Women's Clubs is self explanatory and should be acted upon promptly:

APRIL 3, 1914.

DEAR SIR:

At a recent meeting of Missouri Federation of Women's Clubs, it was suggested that the first week in May of each year (beginning Sunday, May 3, of this year) be known as "clean-up and paint-up week," and thus utilize and encourage a Missouri idea that has become a national movement, with its clean-up and paint-up campaigns going on today in more than a thousand cities and towns throughout the nation. It is the desire of the Civic Department that this movement be made general and throughout Missouri and to that end we are asking the ministers to start off the week, on Sunday, May 3, with Civic Sermons.

The press has always stood by us and we realize that without its aid we could not reach the people and accomplish the things that we have achieved.

If the newspapers will aid us in this "clean-up and paint-up" movement, by suggesting that a combined effort be made in every city, town and hamlet in the state, to clean up the alleys, back yards and front yards, to make sanitary and attractive the store fronts and residences with a fresh coat of paint, to start sodding and planting and parking, and to make a general cleaning, we know the people of Missouri will join in and this can be made an annual event of immense value in arousing civic consciousness in practical sanitation and conservation and in actual business activity in the community—in labor and advertising and sales in interest on these important and seasonable matters. Many people spend hundreds of dollars on the furnishings of their homes and only an occasional caller gets to admire them. A much smaller amount spent in a coat of paint to the exterior, a general cleaning up of the premises and a few flowers would give pleasure to thousands of passers-by and their friends as well.

Will your paper assist us in this campaign by helping in the publicity, and in urging your advertisers to feature the idea and the goods appropriate to it.

Yours very respectfully,  
MRS. CLARENCE BAXTER,  
Chairman of Civic and Health Department.

### Check Your April Cough

Thawing frost and April rains chill you to the very marrow, you catch cold—Head and lungs stuffed—You are feverish—Cough continually and feel miserable—You need Dr. King's New Discovery. It soothes inflamed and irritated throat and lungs, stops cough, your head clears up, fever leaves, and you feel fine. Mr. J. T. Davis, of Stickney Corner, Mo., was cured of a dreadful cough after doctor's treatment and all other remedies failed. Relief or money back. Pleasant—Children like it. Get a bottle to-day. 50c and \$1.00 at your druggist. Bucklen's Arnica Salve for all sores.

### DEMONSTRATION IN SPRAYING

C. B. Michelson, Traveling Immigration Agent, of the Frisco Development department was in the city, Tuesday. He was making arrangements for the giving of a demonstration in spraying for apple scab on the demonstration farm of Loren Withers, south of town, Saturday April 11, at 9 o'clock. He is also interesting farmers and others in the Market Department of the Frisco which has been established recently.

### Stomach Trouble Cured

Mrs. H. G. Cleveland, Arnold, Pa., writes, "For some time I suffered from stomach trouble. I would have sour stomach and feel bloated after eating. Nothing benefited me until I got Chamberlain's Tablets. After taking two bottles of them I was cured." For sale by All Dealers.

## SPLENDID ADDRESS

Dr. Edward Thompson, of St. Louis, gave an address at the M. L. Church, South, Sunday night to a large audience. His subject was Sabbath Observance, and was a most excellent discourse.

### STRAWBERRIES IN QUART BOXES

The practice of shipping berries apparently of quart size, but interiorly constructed with false bottoms, and containing less than a quart, and offered for sale as a quart of berries, is a violation of the food and drug laws of this State.—Food Commissioner.

### DEFAULT ON K. C. C. & S. BONDS

Springfield, Mo., April 4.—It was announced from the general offices of the Kansas City, Clinton & Springfield Railway here this morning that the railroad had defaulted on the interest of first mortgage 5 per cent bonds due April 1. Just what condition the company will declare as a result of the failure to meet the indebtedness cannot be learned.

### COUNTY CONVENTION MODERN WOODMEN

The Barry County Modern Woodmen met in convention at Seligman, Wednesday. Those attending from Monett were M. Loutzenhiser, John Salzer, Willie Davis, Joe Amber, Fred Nieman, R. M. Lassiter, Chas. Vaughn and I. O. Garris.

The meeting was called to elect a delegate to the state meeting at Sedalia, May 1, to represent the county. M. Loutzenhiser was the choice of the convention.

### TO STOP INSULTS TO PRESIDENT

Washington, April 4.—As a result of recent criticism of the President in the discussion of the canal tolls and innuendoes that he was actuated by dishonorable motives, a new rule was introduced by Senator Overman to prevent such reflections either upon the President, Vice-President or any senator. The rule is as follows: No senator in debate shall, directly or indirectly, by any form of words, impute to another senator any conduct or motive unworthy or unbecoming a senator, or in any manner refer disrespectfully or offensively to the President of the United States or the Vice-President.

### Strengthens Weak and Tired Women

"I was under a great strain nursing a sick relative through three months' sickness," writes Mrs. J. C. Van De Sande, of Kirkland, Ill., and "Electric Bitters kept me from breaking down. I will never be without it." Do you feel tired and worn out? No appetite and food won't digest? It isn't the spring weather. You need Electric Bitters. Start a month's treatment to-day; nothing better for stomach, liver and kidneys. The great spring tonic. Relief or money back. 50c and \$1.00 at your Druggists.

### HOLY WEEK SERVICES

Sunday marked the beginning of Holy Week in the Catholic church by the observance of Palm Sunday. Palms were blessed and distributed at both masses and the Passion was read by Rev. Fr. William Hospitler.

Lenten services will be held at 7:45 o'clock Friday evening. Holy Thursday will be observed by high mass in the morning. Special services will be held on Good Friday.

Saturday morning mass will be said at 7 o'clock and the Easter Water will be blessed. The beautiful Easter service will be held Sunday.

### FAILED TO CARRY

A two-thirds vote in favor of the levy for school building purposes was necessary to carry; therefore the measure failed to pass. This will seriously cripple the schools if a special election is not called.

Mrs. B. C. Taylor, assisted by Mrs. J. E. Hcover, will entertain the Philathea class at their regular business meeting, Friday afternoon. Members and friends are invited.

## FREISTATT ITEMS

The annual ceremony of confirmation was solemnly observed at the German Lutheran Church of Freistatt. The nine children were Paula Roschke, Elsie Hese mann, Dora Doss, Eldor Stellwagen, Arthur Fritz, Adolf Obermann, Erhard Pietsch, Bruno Worm and Herman Lebbe. The church was beautifully decorated with potted plants and was filled to its utmost capacity by friends and relatives far and near. Before taking the vow the confirmation class was publicly examined on their religious knowledge and understanding by their instructor, Rev. J. Roschke. The answers came promptly and correctly.

The choir, under the leadership of Prof. Wiedman, sang a beautiful anthem to the sweet tones of the pipe organ. The newly confirmed will take their first communion on Easter Sunday.

Miss Hedwig, daughter of Prof. J. A. Wiedman, who is at Colorado Springs and was operated on for appendicitis is able to be around again and is doing nicely. It was rather a sad case for a young lady to be operated on and so far from home. We wish her a speedy and complete recovery.

The term of our parochial school has expired and we are told that during the past ten months the average daily attendance was about 85 per cent. This is surely good as some pupils come to school from 3 to 5 miles. In both schools a public examination was held March 30 giving ample opportunity to all interested in school work to see and hear what is taught in two languages.

Mrs. August Kaiser is still on the sick list.

Paul and Robert Schoen have company from near Lockwood.

Rev. Roschke and family, Prof. J. A. Wiedmann and family, Henry Obermann and family, Herman C. Obermann and family, Frank Wendler and family, Wm. Doenning and family, Ferd Worm and family and Herm. Brockschmidt and family spent a pleasant Sunday afternoon and evening at Louis Heseemann's residence. Louis and his wife surely know how to entertain.

Our poultry is really the poor man's friend. When eggs commanded a price too high for the average city laborer, they laid not, but now eggs are coming in swift. Our best layers, however, don't average more than one egg per day. Wonder whether there are any Runner hens!

Dr. Copeland has been in St. Louis the past week and will remain there for quite a while doing hospital work. We must keep well now without a doctor.

A crowd of young folks from Freistatt pleasantly surprised Herman Knaust in honor of his birthday Sunday evening and had a delightful time. The evening was spent in playing games. A delicious lunch was served and all departed for home, declaring they had a delightful time.

We are getting plenty of rain for our wheat and grass, but it would please the people to have a chance to sow oats and plant potatoes.

Emil Rusch is getting along nicely with the new mill. There will be a little more noise in our quiet hamlet.

There are still a few farmers troubled with Texas fever and very much desire to live in that promised land.

Nothing So Good for Cough, Cold

When you have a cold you want the best medicine obtainable so as to get rid of it with the least possible delay. There are many who consider Chamberlain's Cough Remedy unsurpassed. Mrs. J. Boroff, Elida, Ohio, says, "Ever since my daughter Ruth was cured of a severe cold and cough by Chamberlain's Cough Remedy two years ago, I have felt kindly disposed toward the manufacturers of that preparation. I know of nothing so quick to relieve a cough or cure a cold." For sale by All Dealers.

## MONETT DRUGGIST DIES

Cornelius Lewis, the druggist, died Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock of heart trouble. His health had been failing the past year and several weeks ago he became ill with pneumonia, from the effects of which he never recovered.

The funeral will be held at the home of Ben A. Beckham, 701 County street, Thursday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, conducted by Dr. Francis Toms, pastor of the Christian church. Interment will be made in Odd Fellows cemetery and the Odd Fellows will have charge of the service there.

The deceased was born in Polk county, Missouri, November 5, 1855, and died in Monett, April 7, 1914. He engaged in business as a druggist at Halfway, Mo., about sixteen years ago. Later he moved to Buffalo where he continued in the same business. He, with his family, moved to Monett in 1905 and had been in the drug business here since that time.

He was married January 31, 1884, to Georgia Jackson. To them were born four children—Mrs. W. O. Welsh, Mrs. Warren Beaty, Mrs. Ben Beckham and Miss Grace Lewis, all of whom reside here.

The family have the sympathy of all in their great affliction.

O. Jahraus, of St. Louis, visited the family of Wm. Henry, Sunday.

Will Henry, of St. Louis, visited here, Sunday.

Mrs. Mary Ryan and Miss May spent Saturday in Joplin.

Mrs. W. A. Mills went to Joplin, Saturday.

Mrs. B. Vermillion, of Washburn spent Sunday in Monett.

Mrs. R. H. Snodgrass, of Enid, Ok. is visiting Mrs. B. E. Binney.

Miss Beulah Mooney is critically ill with typhoid fever.

Mr. and Mrs. Conley and little daughter were in town Sunday night.

Mrs. D. R. Lewis and Mrs. Bulterman, of Purdy, were shopping here, Monday.

Harry Fowler came from Springfield Saturday night to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Fowler.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rittenhouse have moved to North Central avenue in Forest Park.

Misses Mary and Tillie Gripka, of Peirce City, spent Sunday with Misses Minnie and Mary Birkenbach.

Mrs. J. B. Kirkpatrick, of Oklahoma City, is visiting friends in Peirce City and Monett.

Elvin Dummit made a trip to Tallinn, Ok., Sunday, and went from there to Paris, Tex. His friends believe the trip was matrimonial.

W. H. Yarnall, of Liberty township, was in town on political business, Wednesday. He is candidate for judge of the western district.

Mrs. Minor and six children, of Muskogee, Ok., were in town, Tuesday, on their way to Dayton, Ohio, to make their home.

## CORSICANA

Rain, rain, rain! More rain, more grass for the cattle.

Fun and excitement Bijou tonight.

Some of the farmers are still sowing oats. Some are planting corn.

Claud Ash has purchased a horse from John Flanagan.

Geo. Bodecker and Miss Cora Fly were married Saturday evening, March 28. The friends and neighbors gave them a charivari. Also Herbert Blankenship, who was married some time ago, but was neglected.

Bro. Wears preached at this place Saturday night, Sunday and Sunday night.

The prayer meeting has been changed from Thursday night to Sunday night.

On Friday night there was a large crowd to see the plays given by the school. They had a nice program and everyone seemed to enjoy it.

The Corsicana Baptist church will elect and ordain two deacons, Sunday.

W. L. Ash and wife spent Sunday with Clarence Long and wife, of near Butterfield.

One circle of the Methodist church, spent Wednesday with Mrs. Pfauentheil.

Mrs. B. M. Craddock is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Johnson, of Neosho, visited here, Sunday.

Ed Ryan and family and Vivian Feist went to Peirce City, Sunday.

Mr. Carrithers, of Joplin, visited his son Harry and wife, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Brown, of Neodesha, Kan., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Walsh.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Moody, of Wentworth, visited here, Sunday.

Mrs. J. M. Adams is learning the millinery business in Kahn & White's millinery store.

Charles Doyle, of Springfield, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Doyle, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ruscha, of Peirce City, visited their brother, A. J. Ruscha, Sunday.

Miss Myrtle McKinney, of Springfield, visited here, Sunday.

Miss Elsie Asher, of Neosho, is visiting relatives and friends here this week.

Mrs. C. G. Anderson returned from Springfield Sunday evening.

George Gurley, of Purdy, visited friends in Monett Saturday evening.

C. W. Lehnhard and family and Mrs. Kellogg motored to Peirce City, Sunday.

Miss Kate Reardon visited her uncle, Mike Reardon, near Peirce City, Sunday.

Lucile Carter is recovering from an attack of typhoid fever and was able to be in the yard, Sunday.

The Knights Templar will hold their Easter service at the Presbyterian church next Sunday.

Misses Grace Stubbs, Katherine and Mayme Callan visited the family of James Cabalan near Peirce City, Sunday.

Mrs. G. W. Chapin went to Springfield, Saturday, to be with her nephew, who was operated upon for appendicitis.

C. H. Hasell, of Springfield, General Chairman of the O. R. C. of the Frisco System, was in the city Monday to visit O. R. C. Division 151.

Rev. C. P. Francis, of Muskogee, Ok., preached two excellent discourses at the Presbyterian church Sunday, to an appreciative audience.

W. P. McCampbell the Fifth street barber returned home Monday morning, his mother, whose serious illness at her home in Indiana called him away, is much improved in health.

Mrs. W. B. Tanler and son Kenton, Misses Margaret and Ethel Davis and their mother drove to Mt. Vernon Sunday to spend the day with Grandma Tanler, who is ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kirk and daughter Helena Lucile have gone to Joplin to visit Mr. Kirk's sister, who is in the hospital at that place.

C. C. Mills and family and Mr. and Mrs. O. Gulick motored to Peirce City, Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Gulick remained to visit Mr. and Mrs. George Rice.

Among those from out of town who came to attend the funeral of Earl Jeffries, Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Montgomery, of Rocky Comfort, Frank Reese, and family, of Cassville, Miss Rose Wolfenbarger and August Dieterich, of Kansas City.

Some one in The Kansas City Star office the other day told William Allen White that a certain boss wanted to get a bill passed making it only a misdemeanor to kill an editor.

"That is too drastic," drawled White. There ought to be a closed season to protect the editor when mating and caring for his young. And again, no man should be allowed to kill more editors than he and his family can eat."—The Kansas Editor.

## THE CLICK OF THE RAIL

Happenings Among the Boys Along the Frisco Lines

Engineer T. Y. Tension and fireman Milton Brunner are working in extra pool on Kansas division.

Engineer Elmer Ash is working in W. D. Randall's pool on southwestern division.

Engineer E. Pope bumped T. Y. Tension off chain gang on Kansas division.

Engineer Willis and Fireman Haver are working in extra pool on central division.

Fun and excitement Bijou tonight.

Engineer H. E. Davies has reported for duty bumping John Reno in chain gang on central division.

Fireman Don Petty is working in Taylor Everly's place on No. 403. F. J. Smith is working in Petty's place in chain gang on south western division.

Engineer Jones reported for duty on local 441 bumping Elmer Ash.

Fireman P. O. Howerton laid off local 741 this morning Fireman Buttner went out in his place.

Passenger brakeman Warren Beaty laid off 309 last night. W. H. Humes went out in his place.

Fireman Tom Wilson has reported for duty on Kansas division local 341 bumping Fireman Hartley.

Fireman W. H. Butts has reported for duty on extra board.

Fireman John Robinson has reported for duty on extra board.

Engineer B S Binney and fireman Armour are working in extra pool on Kansas division.

On account of No. 7 being late this morning two sections of No. 407 was run. Conductor L. T. Temple and brakeman Wm. Krueger went out on first section and regular crew went out on second section.

Kansas division conductor Chas. White has reported for duty on No. 7. He will bump Frank Buckley in the morning.

A made up crew went out on central division today consisting of conductor Jake Patton and brakeman C. Crawford and S. A. Avery.

Switchmen J. C. Williams, C. E. Whitlatch and Jake Swartzel reported for duty on day hill engine bumping Sam Kittenhouse, Raymond Vaught and J. E. Noth-ern.

Engineer Kirk and firemen Brandenberg and Friddle dead-headed home to Ft. Smith on 715 yesterday morning. Kirk and Brandenberg worked in here on extra pool and Friddle came up as messenger on a dead engine.

Mrs. M. Shanahan, of Springfield, visited Monday night with Mrs. F. C. Williams.

Notice of the Grant of Letters of Administration

Letters of administration on the estate of Philip Tate, deceased, were granted to the undersigned on the 3rd day of April, 1914, by the probate court of Barry county.

All persons having claims against said estate are required to exhibit them for allowance, to the administratrix, within six months after the date of said letters, or they may be precluded from any benefit of such estate; and if such claims be not exhibited within one year from the date of said letters, they will be forever barred.

NORA G. TATE  
Administratrix.

This 8th day of April, 1914.—14  
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MRS. EDITH GIBBS  
has sold out her business to  
MRS. W. M. STREMMEL  
402 Third Street

Mrs. Stremmel has a very pleasant room fitted out with all the modern appliances and would be pleased to meet all of Mrs. Gibbs' customers. Mrs. Gibbs is the State Manager, now, for the National Art and Crayon Co. of Chicago, Ill., and would be pleased to meet ladies who might be interested in receiving a good salary for a reasonable amount of work.  
Call 8 a. m. 406 Bond